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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

5,290

copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

For a job man, E. H. Harriman displays unusual optimism.

Swanton's ammunition plant causes it to shoot ahead industrially.

Retrenchment has hit Washington. It hit Montpelier and rebounded.

First-hand news from the seat of war—nine barrels of trophies marked "T. R."

Not a passenger killed on the Central Vermont in seven and a half years, report the officials. Better knock on wood.

There isn't an over-abundance of logic in the "reply" of Speaker Cannon to Congressman Fowler of New Jersey. In fact, it was pretty weak.

Editor Musgrave of the Hanover Gazette finally lands the job of supervisor of the census in New Hampshire. The chances are good for a newspaper man to land the similar job in Vermont.

President Taft jeopardizes his popularity by refusing to give up golf to meet a veteran who is bearing an invitation to the executive to review the coming veterans' parade at Beverly. What golfer blames Taft?

It didn't take long for Editor Frank W. Stiles, formerly of the Springfield Reporter, to get back into the harness again, as indicated by his purchase of the Swanton Courier from T. M. Tobin. Success to him and to Mr. Tobin also!

Just at this time the Randolph Herald and News presents a timely inquiry as to what authority the Rev. E. J. Ranslow had for stating, when endorsing the nomination of John A. Mead for lieutenant-governor a year ago, that Mr. Mead would not be a candidate for governor next time and was not seeking the minor position as a stepping-stone to the higher. The contemporary states that the assertion was allowed to go uncontradicted at the time and was, therefore, supposed by many of the delegates to the convention to be authoritative. Undoubtedly, it had some weight in the nomination of Mr. Mead. The public would certainly like to know by what authority the Rev. Mr. Ranslow made such an assertion.

"Ill-conditioned brats who, both by birth and training, are unable to appreciate either home or civic pride" tore down vines and climbing flowers which hid the stonework of an ugly railroad bridge in Bloomfield, N. J. The Women's Town Improvement association says so, and its description of an obnoxious type could hardly be improved.—Boston Transcript.

What city or town does not have these "ill-conditioned brats," who, for instance, demolish danger warning signs put up by the Automobile Club of Vermont, shoot holes in signboards, hurl rocks at are light globes, disgrace public buildings and commit countless minor depredations? Unfortunately, there is not a community which does not have a few or more of these "ill-conditioned brats," only in some communities they are as few as in some communities they are as many as to be satisfactorily repressed. They do not reflect a very pleasant state of affairs in their homes.

A MIGRATORY HEALTH OFFICERS' SCHOOL.

It was stated that the Vermont health officers' school was transferred from Burlington this year because of the force of circumstances, meaning, we suppose, the inability to arrange satisfactorily for accommodations at this season of the year. Consequently, the school came to Montpelier and there are about two hundred physicians in attendance, each representing a single town or city. That the state as a whole will gain by the occasional transfer of the school seems quite certain, since the general interest in the matter of safeguarding the public health will be extended through the wider dissemination of the points brought out during the sessions of the school. The newspaper-reading public of Burlington and vicinity has for several years had the opportunity of learning what has been going on in the school provided the people cared to read the daily summaries of addresses and discussion. Now, the public in this section of Vermont will have an opportunity to glean such information about public health as may radiate from the school, and there is undoubtedly some good result accruing to a community to have this center of advanced thought located temporarily in its midst. There is no particular reason why the school should be located in Burlington, except, perhaps, that the state laboratory of hygiene, with which the school may perhaps be associated in a general way, is stationed in Burlington. But that does not constitute a sufficient reason for holding the sessions there each year. Other towns and cities in the state, which may be somewhat central in location and fairly easy of access, should be selected

in the future years for occasional sessions of the school, so that the people in the immediate territory might gain some benefit from direct knowledge of the work of the health officers. A good start in this direction has been made by holding this year's session in Montpelier.

CURRENT COMMENT

Sunday Baseball.

It is hard to realize that here in staid old Vermont, the home of the descendant of the Pilgrim and Puritan, that an attempt should be made to have Sunday baseball. The very suggestion is belittling to the intelligence and tradition of the state, and is born of a national life that is becoming more and more debased. The nations and countries that have tolerated Sunday sports have one and all gone to the dogs, or the devil, sooner or later. The nations and countries that have given Sunday that strict observance enjoined in Bible teaching are the sheet anchors of civilization. Out of them came every great and distinct literature, ninety-nine per cent. of all the great inventions, and all of the world's enduring democracies. Sports and pleasures as such do not necessarily mean peace and happiness. No person can violate the divine law of the Sabbath and be happy, for, leaving morality, religion and the Bible out of the question, it is contrary to all physiological law. France once tried the same kind of a Sunday that some of the Western cities have today and her people became physically weakened thereby. People speak of the gloom and austerity of the Puritan life. That assertion or characterization is utterly false. The late Senator Hoar of Massachusetts once, in a public address, spoke of the "gloomy fanaticism of the Puritans." The assertion, when made, was a play to the galleries and when he was up for reelection to the senate. Few men were finer adepts at such plays than George Frisbie Hoar. The Puritan could not have been possessed of a gloomy fanaticism for what there is more truth in the Bible or in the advance of physiology. The worth, the integrity, the wisdom of a cause is determined by its effect. If local authorities cannot or do not stop Sunday baseball then the state authorities should as in duty bound.—White River Junction Daily Mark.

How "O. K." Developed.

There recently died in Toledo, O., a son of the late Orrin Kendall, from whose initials the use of "O. K." meaning all right, is said to have sprung. The father, during the civil war was the head of the firm of O. Kendall & Sons, makers of Chicago. This firm furnished hard tack for the army, on which were stamped the initials "O. K." These crackers were relied by the soldiers, and their expression, "These are all right," developed into "These are O. K."—Springfield Republican.

JINGLES AND JESTS

One Thing Lacking.

When did goes fishin' we prepare
To listen with the closest care
To all his efforts to describe
The marvels of the finny tribe
We'll hear with wonder and dismay
Of big ones that all got away
We always supplement 'd
About the fish he almost had.

Like some great chieftain of his race
Who has been following the chase
When he comes home, by one and all
He's met by many a welcome call.
And soon upon the board is spread
The meal—potatoes, meat and bread.
We have all things that taste could wish
Excepting one—there is no fish.
—Washington Star

The Real Spender.

"You don't seem anxious to meet this millionaire."
"I met a millionaire here last season," explained the summer girl, "and he wouldn't buy an ice cream cone. Could you introduce me to some young chap who has come to the beach with two hundred dollars saved up?"—Kansas City Journal.

A Theatrical Paradox.

"There is one contradictory thing actors seem to do."
"What is that?"
"The longer they are at one stand, the more they consider it a run."—Baltimore American.

DISTRICT COURT ADJOURNS.

No Cases Ready for Trial and Jurymen Dismissed.

Windsor, Aug. 25.—The adjourned session of the U. S. District Court came to an abrupt ending yesterday morning there being no court business and no cases ready for the jury. The jurymen were dismissed and returned to their homes in the afternoon, as did the court officials.

It was expected that the case of the Union Bridge Company vs. the Connecticut Valley Lumber Company would be tried as it was set for trial by jury at this time, but the recent death of Geo. Van Dyke, president of the lumber company, caused it to be postponed until the October term at Rutland.

John Salmon, Joseph McDonald and Fred Nelson of Weatherfield, and Matthew Hannah of West Windsor took out their final papers and became full-fledged citizens of the United States.

MARRIAGE AT NORTHFIELD.

Mrs. Elizabeth Butterfield and Michael Cannon United Yesterday.

Northfield, Aug. 25.—At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the wedding of Michael Cannon and Mrs. Elizabeth Butterfield was celebrated in St. John's church, Northfield. Rev. J. P. O'Neil officiating. The bride was very becomingly gowned in brown silk with hat to match and was attended by Miss Bridget Boland of Waterbury; Mr. Cannon of Claremont, N. H., a nephew of the groom was best man. A wedding breakfast was given at the home of the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Cannon left on the noon train for a short wedding trip, after which they will begin housekeeping in this village. Both the bride and groom are well known in town, having lived here the most of their lives and their friends extend hearty congratulations.

Excursion to Montreal. See adv. on page 2.



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DEATH AT NORTHFIELD.

Mrs. Harriet Dole, An Esteemed Woman of that Community.

Northfield, Aug. 25.—Mrs. Harriet Dole died yesterday morning at three o'clock at the home of her youngest daughter, Mrs. Mattie Parker, on Main street, Northfield, after a long illness. She was the wife of the late Christopher Dole and was born in Chelsea, in 1822. After her marriage she came to Northfield where she has resided, highly respected and beloved by all who knew her. She was always a faithful worker in the Universalist church as long as her health permitted. She was the mother of six children, all of whom survive her aside from Margaret, who died in prison during the war of the rebellion. About two and one-half years ago she suffered a stroke of paralysis which affected her speech and since that time has been confined to her bed gradually failing until death came.

The deceased is survived by her five children, Charles of this town, Rev. Walter of Enfield, N. H., Harry of Camden, N. J., Mrs. Mary Randall of Woodsville, N. H., and Mrs. Mattie Parker of this town with whom she made her home; also one sister, Miss Maria Howe and two brothers, L. A. and Edward, all of this town.

POUNDED FATHER-IN-LAW.

Is Charge Brought Against Danby Man in Rutland Court.

Rutland, Aug. 25.—Rowland W. Hall of Danby was brought to Rutland yesterday by Deputy Sheriff F. W. McIntyre of that village on a warrant issued by State Attorney J. C. Jones, charging Hall with beating Albert A. Williams, his father-in-law, who is 74 years old. The affair happened Monday, but Hall was not arrested until yesterday.

Mr. Williams made the complaint in person to the state's attorney Monday afternoon, his face showing plainly at the time the bruises said to have been inflicted by the son-in-law. The complaint says that his son-in-law has never treated him very well since the old man went to live with Mr. and Mrs. Hall and Monday, when Williams was having an argument with his grandchildren, Hall attacked him.

The case was taken before Justice B. H. Stukely of this city and it was decided to have a hearing at Danby next Friday.



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GROTON

William Molan moved his family to Wells River Saturday.

Mrs. Walter Dow of Corinth visited Mr. and Mrs. George Mills over Sunday.

One hundred and forty-nine tickets were sold at the station Sunday morning for the excursion to Lake Champlain.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Myers went to Lake Groton Monday afternoon, where they will pass a two weeks' vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Clark and son, Franklin, and Mrs. Emma Clark returned Monday from a few weeks' outing at their cottage at Lake Groton.

James Rogers has rented the J. C. Harvey house, recently purchased by Virgil Wilson, and will soon move there.

Virgie, Rena and Isaac Richer are visiting their brother, Jennie and family at Burlington this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Hall went to Corinth Friday, where they visited relatives over Sunday.

Burns Page has purchased the farm of Piny Sanderson in the north part of Ryegate. Mr. Sanderson will go to Melndous where he has purchased a large farm.

School in the Plummer district commenced Monday with Miss Jennie Winkler teacher.

Orange Ricker, son of Mrs. Nellie Hood, died Friday morning at the age of thirty-three years. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon, Rev. S. H. Myers, officiating, and burial was in the village cemetery.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve a baked bean supper in their vestry Friday, August 27, from 5 to 8 o'clock. Ice cream and home made candy will be on sale during the evening.

WEBSTERVILLE

Miss Florence Mitchell, who has been at the Mary Fletcher hospital in Burlington, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. Nutbrown, who was badly injured by the blast at Lamsen's quarry Saturday, is as comfortable as could be expected.

The Knights of King Arthur had a very enjoyable outing Monday, going to Cobble Hill and spending the day.

Miss Mabel Edwards is at home for a short stay.

Mrs. Mitchell was thrown from a carriage Sunday evening while driving from Williamstown, and while no bones were broken she was badly bruised and shaken up.

The ordinance of baptism was given at the Baptist church Sunday evening by Rev. A. S. Russell, the pastor. He was assisted in the service by Rev. A. N. Woodruff.

A quartet consisting of Arthur Edwards, Robert Wildbur, Mrs. James Geake and Miss Melin Woodruff sang at the services Sunday evening, much to the pleasure of the congregation. Chester Sargent of East Barre also delighted the congregation by singing a solo, "Along with Jesus."

Next Sunday morning Rev. A. S. Russell will take for theme, "The Church of the Future," and in the evening, "A Circle of Safety."

WEST TOPSHAM

John Prescott of Manchester, N. H., was in town Sunday.

O. F. Bagley and wife of Dridgport, Conn., are visiting Mr. Bagley's mother, Mrs. Carrie Bagley.

Miss Ella Poole is at home from Woodville, N. H.

Charles Boede of Barre is visiting in town.

C. S. Meeker and wife of Barre visited his father last week, Mr. S. G. Meeker, Mrs. C. W. Tubbs.

Rev. Mr. Dexter and his son Mr. Arthur Dexter and family went to Leominster, Mass., Tuesday.

Frank Davis attended the meeting of the Washington county Veterans at Dewey Park, Barre, last week.

Mrs. George Moore of Northfield visited her sister, Mrs. L. D. Wilde the past week.

Frank Lamb of Bradford was at L. D. Wilde Monday night on veterinary business.

Miss Fanny Chalmers went to Manchester, N. H. Saturday.

The Mutual Benefit Society will hold their first meeting in the hall Friday evening, the 7th. Rev. Mr. Brooks of Syracuse, N. Y., will lecture. All are invited.

Dr. Dow took his two stations to the Bradford fair Monday.

Dr. Hutchinson was at Mrs. C. D. Wilde Monday and reports her as slowly gaining.

Miss Minnie Chalmers of Prospect Ave., is quite ill.

RANDOLPH.

John Henry, who is employed in the store of E. A. Thomas, has returned from a week's vacation spent in Boston and Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lane and children, who have been the guests of Mrs. Justin Moulton and daughter, are passing a week with Mr. Lane's father at Montpelier.

Miss Frances Spooner is in Northfield teaching in a summer school session held on that village.

Mrs. Winthrop Abbott of Proctor is passing several days with relatives and friends in town.

G. W. Boyce of New York City is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Walker left here for their home in Bethel Tuesday night to make preparations for the opening of Whitehouse high school on September 7th, Mr. Walker being the principal.

We will give a 10 per cent. discount on all picture mounting until Sept. 10. East S. Shepard & Co.

Excursion to Montreal. See adv. on page 2.

CAPTAIN TO RESIGN.

E. J. Waterman Will Leave I Co., Vt. M. G. of Brattleboro.

Brattleboro, Aug. 25.—The members of I Co., Vt. M. G., hereby request the resignation of Capt. Ernest J. Waterman to resign his position with the local militia organization.

Capt. Waterman has served two years as captain of I Co. He first enlisted as a private in August, 1897, while he was a student in Middlebury college. In May, 1898, he went to Nicaragua, being mustered out with the 1st Vermont Infantry on his return from the south. On the reorganization of the militia in 1899 he again enlisted, being appointed a corporal. In October 1899, he was elected second lieutenant of the company and in May was elected first lieutenant. He served as captain from 1901 to 1903, when he left the company. On Dec. 6, 1907, he again took charge of the company and has served as captain for nearly two years. He is a son of Judge E. L. Waterman and is a member of the law firm of Gilson & Waterman.

HAVEN'T FOUND GUILTY ONE

Who Caused Two Collisions in Railroad Yard at Brattleboro.

Brattleboro, Aug. 25.—The past two days have been spent by the officials of the Central Vermont railway in conducting an investigation to fix the responsibility for the two head-on collisions which occurred in the Brattleboro freight yard last week. Both were due to an open switch and were believed to be due to the malicious attempt of some railroad employee to wreck a passenger train.

The investigation was conducted by Supt. W. E. Costello of New London, Conn., E. J. Guthrie, Brattleboro station agent, and a railroad detective from St. Albans. All of the Brattleboro railroad employees were questioned. Thomas Smith of Vernon street, formerly a fireman on the local shifter, but who was discharged some time ago, was also called before the investigating committee. Nothing which would connect him with the accident was found. The investigation will be continued.

CENTRAL VERMONT'S RECORD.

Hasn't Killed a Passenger in Seven and a Half Years.

St. Albans, Aug. 25.—High, if not highest, in the honor list of railroads affording safe protection and transportation of human freight stands the Central Vermont railway which, in seven and a half years has not killed a passenger. This is a most remarkable record and is believed to be unequalled. The last fatal accident to a passenger was on March 4, 1907, when a little girl was killed at Cambridge.

TO TEST THE RIGHT.

Of Vermont Board of Health to Enforce An Analysis Requirement.

A hearing will be given in the attorney general's office at Montpelier tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock on the question whether the state board of health can enforce its requirement for an analysis of liquor sold by fourth-class licensees different from the requirement of the U. S. Pharmacopoeia. The hearing will be attended by William Armstrong of Rochester, N. Y., in the interests of the Duffy Malt Whiskey company and by the state board of health.

NEWSPAPER TRANSFER.

F. W. Stiles of Springfield Buys the Swanton Courier.

Swanton, Aug. 25.—F. W. Stiles, formerly editor of the Springfield Reporter, has bought the Swanton Courier of T. M. Tobin. The concern will be known as the Courier publishing company and George Stiles, son of Mr. Stiles, will be the editor and manager of the paper.

ERRORS MAKE DELAY.

Incorrect Town Grand List Reports Held Up State Report.

Secretary of State Bailey reports that the completion of the state's grand list has been delayed by the finding of several errors in some of the reports received from the towns. It was necessary to send the reports back to the towns for correction.

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New Embroidered Blue Waist at - - - 2.25
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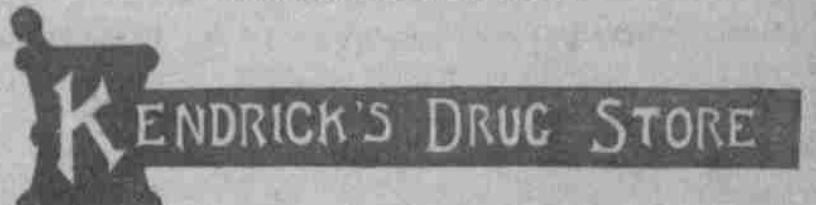
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A LONDON DINNER.

The Scene is Elegant and Impressive, but, Oh, So Sad!

"A German" thus writes the London Mail: A dinner in progress at a first class hotel. Elegant toilets, splendid surroundings—and an absence of sound! Slowly, stiffly, like automata, the dining ladies and gentlemen proceed with their meal. The scene is undoubtedly very impressive, but, oh, so sad! Amid the sparkle of jewels and silver and crystal and porcelain, amid a scene that fairly invites, begs, cries for a bright smile, a low, rippling laugh or at least that deep, unadvised hum that makes itself otherwise noticed wherever there is a large gathering, the diners sit as in expectation of the judgment day. Sometimes somebody does speak—one word or two. The lips hardly part. The other nods his head in terrible earnest. Then silence reigns supreme again.

A friend who had been in England once related a story, the point of which I have never fully appreciated until now. Like myself, the first time he had entered a dining room in London he looked around in surprise. Finally toward the end of the meal he called the waiter. "Tell me, please," he asked, "does anybody ever laugh here?"
"Well," replied the waiter, "I am sorry to say that we have had some complaints, but not often, sir—not often."

THE LOADED GUN.

A Most Dangerous Thing to Have Around the Home.

The loaded pistol in the home is an object of danger, wherever it may be placed. To be of any use in an emergency it must be within easy reach. If it is within easy reach it may figure in a homicide or a suicide. The suddenly awakened person may kill a member of the household by mistake. A child may find it and explode it. It is not within easy reach it might as well be in a shop downtown as far as relating burglars or serving a useful purpose is concerned. If it is put away as a curiosity it should always be unloaded. If the weapon is a relic of the past, a specimen of an ancient form of gunmaking, it is just as interesting with its chambers empty as with them filled.
Of course pistols may be put away

loaded with the full intention of saving them safely fired or unloaded later and then forgotten. This is a matter that cannot be neglected without danger. The loaded gun is a menace to life as long as it remains loaded and within reach. Even at the bottom of a trunk it is possible cause of trouble. It behooves everybody to make sure that there are none of these hidden weapons on the premises, to be found by rummaging children or suddenly disclosed in the course of housecleaning or changes.—Washington Star.

Whoever Loves Is Never Old.
When life has been well spent age is a loss of what it can well spare—muscular strength, organic instincts, gross bulk and works that belong to these. But the central wisdom which was old in infancy was young in fourscore years and, dropping off obstructions, leaves in happy subjects the mind purified